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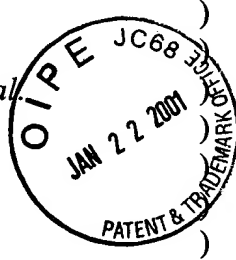
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In re Patent Application of:

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For: ELECTRONIC CALENDAR WITH GROUP SCHEDULING AND STORAGE OF
USER AND RESOURCE PROFILES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified patent application
as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1 and 5-7 as indicated below.

1. (Twice Amended) A system for scheduling time intervals for a plurality of [users]
invitees comprising:

database means [associated] in communication with one or more server means for storing
[a profile] one or more invitee profiles for [each] one or more potential [invitee] invitees of the
system, the one or more invitee profiles comprising user profiles wherein each user profile

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